Attitude of Mexican Rebels Causes Anxiety Among Officials

FEARS FOR SAFETY OF MANY AMERICANS

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ADVISED TO GO TO TAMPICO

Chester and Dolphin Prepare to Dispatch Strong Landing Party at Moment's Notice.

Tampico, Mex., April 22—(via Galveston).—Grave fears are felt here for the safety of hundreds of Americans including many women and children, in the oil camps at Topila and other river and interior points.

All these Americans are said to be defenseless against attacks of either Federals or incurgents. Many oil companies are directing their employes to return to Tampico.

General Zaragoza is reported to have said that in event of an American attempt to seize Tampico, he had received orders from Mexico City that he knew his duty as a soldier, and he would do his utmost to repel the landing, and believed he would succeed.

Notice was posted here this morning in Consul Clarence Miller's office that Mexico had refused all the American demands to salute the flag, and that President Wilson had referred the matter to Congress. The news produced a profound scueation in the American colony.

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Many anxious inquiries poured in upon Mr. Miller as to what steps were being taken to furnish protection in case of a popular anti-American uprising. This was a peril feared as ders to vessels of their respective nationalists, in which event no vessels which be available for the reception of refusers except warships. It was haven that Admiral Mayo had made all preparations for profesting Americans who are ashore, but details about such plans were withfield for the time being became the admiral wished to avoid creating unnecessive alarm.

The first hint of intrevention it was forced might prelipitate in attack on Americans, and if as outbrenk should occur the Imperial Hotel, which is filled with Americans, would likely be the centre of attack. The hirt, however, could be made easily defensible. It is near the river and readily accurate to hading alsele.

ever, could be made easily defersible. It is near the river and require as reside to fanding parties of marines from the Des Mones and Chester and Dolphin. The Chester and Dolphin continued to-day clearing for action, with ammunition on deck, prepared, to free ou Tampico or to dispatch strong land-lag force of margine parties. Attack May He Renewed.

Since the siege began business has been conducted almost as usual, ex-cept during the first few days, when the rebels made determined efforts to the Federal entrenchments and so far there has been no serious lack of provisions, the cost of all supplies

been advanced enormously ing great hardships among the poorer Mexicans Will Retreat.

Dance Music for Your Home

Yes, and played by Europe's Society Orchestra and the Victor Military Band. You can learn to dance right in your own home the Tango, Turkey Trot, Boston, Hesitation, etc., if you have a

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store and let us demonstrate the Victrola to you-also let play any records you may wish to hear.

Day on the Steamer Moro Castle.

being taken to furnish protection in case of a popular anti-American uprising. This was a perili feared as soon as the news should become generally known among Mexicans. The gravity of the situation here was increased by the issuance of orders to cleased by the issuance of orders to day for all American merchant years also heave the river immediately and lie outside until further notice.

It was understood that foreign consults playing want to issue stepshere.

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ster and President, at 4 o'Clock in Morning, Sends Word to Seize Custom-House.

Washington, April 22.—The story of ow President Wilson ordered the custhe first the protection of the state of the

"Good night," said the secretary.
In a few minutes wireless dispatches by no overpowering enthusiasm for were on their way to Kear-Admiral war with Mexico.
Fletcher, He received the message at 10 A. M., and an hour later American marines had landed and taken possession of the custom-house. The amount of the custom-house, the amount of the custom-house is the shippers.

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Blease Will Lead Troops Cruiser Loses Propeller Hade.

Charleston, S. C., April 22.—News was received here to day by wireless that the United States cruiser Tacoma, bound for Tampice from Boston, had suffered the loss of a propeller blade, and had turned back for Charleston for repairs. She is expected to arrive to-morrow.

Corrected List of Killed and Wounded.

Washington, April 22.-This corrected list of the Americans killed and wounded in the first fighting at Vera Cruz resterday was cabled to-day by Admiral Fletcher:

Private Daniel Aloysius Haggerty, Tenth Company, Second Advance Base Regiment, United States Marines. Next of kin, father, Michael Haggerty, Cambridge, Mass.

Private Samuel Marten, Sixteenth Company, Second Advance Base Regiment; father, Mayer Marten, Chicago. George Poinsett, seaman, U. S. S. Florida, born April 10, 1894; Wil-

liam Poinsett, father, Philadelphia. Enlisted at Philadelphia. John F. Schumacher, coxswain, U. S. S. Florida, born December 5. 1889, Brooklyn. Isabella McKinnon, mother.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED MARINES.

Private George Draine, Seventeenth Company, Second Regiment. Mother, Estella Draine, St. Joseph, Mo.

Private Edward P. Peterson, Sixteenth Company, Second Regiment, Father, Walter Peterson, Malone.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED BLUEJACKETS. Clarence Rev Harsbarger, seaman, U. S. S. Utah, born March 31, 1892. C. O. Harsbarger, father, Waverly, N. Y. Joseph Louis Kwapich, seaman, U. S. S. Utah, born March 6, 1893.

John Kwapich, father, Rochester, N. Y. Henry N. Nickerson, boatswain's mate, U. S. S. Utah, born December 22, 1888; home, Wheeling, W. Va.

Edward A. Gisberg, electrician, third class, U. S. Florida, born June 14, 1892. Home, Quincy, Mass. John R. Gisburg, father, Washington,

WOUNDED MARINES.

Private George Maurice Davidson, Sixteenth Company, Second Regiment. Mother, Martha M. Davidson, Oskaloosa, Iowa. Private John McMillan, Sixteenth Company, Second Regiment,

Mother, Frances McMillan, Mayfield, Manitoba, Canada. Private Richard Shaker, Seventeenth Company, Second Regiment, Mother, Frederica Shaker, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Private Harry J. Reed, Sixteenth Company, Second Regiment. Mother, Irene Reed, Chicago.

WOUNDED BLUEJACKETS.

William H. Mangels, seaman, U. S. S. Utah, born November 17, 1894. Home, Yonkers, N. Y.

Frederick Nanz, ordinary seaman, U. S. S. Utah, born July 4, 1895. Mother, Marie Nanz, Brooklyn, N. Y. Nathan Schwartz, ordinary seaman, U. S. S. Florida, born April 22,

1893. Home, New York City. James Horace Copeland, seaman, U. S. S. Utah, born July 13, 1892. Home, Monterey, Tenn.

CITY ANXIOUS FOR **NEWS FROM FRONT**

never came. On Broad Street the out-pour of the theatres halted expectantly for the sound of raucus news vendors, Key West, Fla., April 22.—The equipment building of the naval station here is being prepared for an emergency hospital for receiving the

dalveston, Texas, April 22—Mexicans at Salina Cruz, on the Pacific coast of Mexico, have announced they will reduce the first terror, tearing up the railroad tracks behind them, if Americans seize the port, according to cable messages received here to-night. No resistance is belonging. IN MEXICAN WATERS

Washington, April 22.—The Navy Department to-night issued a statement giving the location of the American Statement (1) and the department of the American Statement (1) and the department of the American Statement (1) and the department of the American can ships in Mexican waters at 6 o'clock P. M., as follows: Tampico-Cruisers Des Moines, hos-tal ship Solace, Dolphin, collier

Cyclops,

Vera Cruz-Battleships Arkansas,

Florida, Utah, Vermont, New Jersey, New Hampshire, South Carolina, Minnesota, transports Hancock and Prairie, scout cruiser Chester, mine layer San Francisco, fuel ship Orion,

Guayamas—Collier Justin. Mazatlan—Armored crui: fornia, cruiser Raleigh.

route from Acapulco: cruiser Denver, en route from Corinto. with an allowance of 2,500 men, the following vessels now on the Atlantic coast could be commissioned for service in Mexican waters.

North Carolina, Washington, Tennessee Brooklyn, Salem, Sacramento, Cas-The complement of the following torpedo destroyers can be raised to guns,

full strength for use in a Mexican campaign: elusser, Reid, Preston, Monaghan,

In addition to these, the department stated that the gunboats Marietta, Newport, Dubuque, Machias and Isla de Luzon, which have been loaned to fighting value. State militia organizations, can be used if necessary.

MEXICO CAN BUY

NO SHELLS HERE

REACHES VERA CRUZ

IN MEXICAN NAVY

Gunboat Tampleo, tonnage 980, eight uns, one torpedo tube.

Will Be Returned to Former Owners. Washington, April 22.—Disposition of the guns and ammunition on the German vessel Ypiranga, held up at Vera Cruz when Admiral Fletcher took

TOTALLY IGNORANT OF PRESENT CRISIS

Residents of Mexico City Know Nothing of Strained Relations With United States.

CENSORSHIP IS VERY STRICT

Reports of Federal Successes Printed Broadcast by Capital Newspapers.

Mexico City, April 15.—(Via Havana, April 22).—The following dispatch was rent by mail to Havana, in order to avoid the censorship established by General Huerta, which is more strict than at any time heretofore:

Every telegraph wire out of Mexico City, commercial railroad or cable, is now watched over by a censor, chosen now watched over by a censor, chosen from among the most reliable and in-telligent men in the government ser-

countries, more than 39 per cent of Mexican residents in the capital went about their affairs in total ignorance. of the crisis.

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General Huerta and his official family cleverly concealed, even from their intimate friends, all knowledge of

April 22, 1914.

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Adjutant-General of Virginia.

Richmond, Va.:

You will immediately find site obtained water and suitable for mobilization camp.. Find party able to furnish labor and material to pipe camp grounds for water, and see about fuel. Make no defined water, and see about fuel. Make no define arrangements until further orders. Wire results.

(Signed) SIMPSON..

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(Signed) Colonel Potts Assigned to Duty.

HELD IN READINESS

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1,181, nine guns.
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Vera Cruz occupied by Mexicans who persisted in firing and wounding several American marines, notwithstanding repeated warning. The building was demolished.

Gunboat Tampleo, tonnage 980, eight guns, one torpedo tube.

Transport General Guerrero, tonnage 1,550, eight guns.

Hulk Democratic, tonnage 450, no fighting value.

Hulk Independeria, tonnage 445, no fighting value.

Hulk Libertad, tonnage 420, no fight-ling value.

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FORCES ENTRAIN FOR NUEVO LAREDO

Federal Troops Being Concen- Seaman Poinsett Eulogized as trated by Order of Federal General Maas.

Laredo, Texas, April 22.—Regular troops of the Mexican Federal garri-

left Nuevo Laredo.

Eagle Pass, Texas, April 22.—Pledras Negras, opposite Eagle Pass, was evacuated by the Federal garrison early to-day after a night of wild ex-citement. This morning more than

NEWS FROM FRON NO SHELLS HERE The railroads ceased some time ago carrying freight to the north, as the limited supply of fuel oil on hand the evening. Tredegar Works Going Night and Day to Furnish State Which Fail to Appear. No shells here Tredegar Works Going Night and Day to Furnish State With Projectiles. No shells for the United State of States government for the past score of years, the Tredegar Company, of that was fail on the breakfast table of years, the Tredegar Company, of the movement of Acapulco, has shown indications of moving northward. No shells had been captured. The railroads ceased some time ago carrying freight to the north, as the limited supply of fuel oil on hand arms issued to volunteer companies as fast as organized. More than 1,200 the evening. SALE IS DIRECTED To LOCATE CAMP

Washington, April 22.—This bulletin was issued at the Navy Department at 21:30 P. M.:

"The torpedoboat flotilla, consisting of the destroyers Fanning, Beale, Jarvis, Jenkins, Jouett, Henley, Drayton, McAll, Warrington, Patterson, Paulding, Ammen, Burrows and Trippe, unider the command of Captain W. S. Sins, will arrive at Vera Cruz to-night, the Navy Department announced. The flotilla sailed from Pensacola on April 20, and will be either stationed at Vera Cruz to-night, the Sayy Department announced. The flotilla sailed from Pensacola on April 20, and will be either stationed at Vera Cruz to-night, the Barksdale, of Richmond, and Charles W. Sale, of Corbin, Va., to be first lieutenant for the compliance with the orders, he will select the camp site, and will make arrangements for having it piped as soon as instructions are received from Gentral W. K. Evans, commander of the service. These officers will probably be among the first to be mustered into volunteer service.

G. H. M.

eral W. K. Evans, commander of the Department of the East.

Adjutant-General Sale is greatly encouraged with the apparent willing-ness of members of the Virginia com-

mands to volunteer for service mands to volunteer for service. Only one officer has asked to be relieved Mexico City yesterday and for deterfrom duty, and, while his resignation maining conditions of the Mexican arways accepted yesterday, it was fortillery. The scout cruiser Dix'e and warded to the Governor, at least ten six of the torpedo boats from Pengadays before the crisis was reached in the Mexican situation.

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[Special to The Times-Disputch.]

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ARMY INSPECTOR AT BLACKSBURG

"the Worth Bagley of the Mexican Trouble."

Washington, April 22.—Seaman George Poinsett, of Philadelphia, killed Is redo, Texas, April 22—Regular troops of the Mexican Federal garrivice. These censors tranger inform would be senders of dispatches that it is not a question of the veracity of messages, nor whether they disclose military movements, but is merely a question of suppressing all news not favorable to the government.

Code messages are absolutely problibited, with the exception of bank telegrams. The bankers succeeded in having the embargo on these messages raised, but only after they had proved that detention of dispatches would seriously embarrass the financial department of the government.

Newspaper correspondents were given to understand that if they were detected in using subterfuges to evade the ensorship, they would find themselves in fail.

While Nelson O'Shaughnessy was acting as the messenger of the United States government to Huerta, in the endeavor to avert ware between the two countries, more than 99 per cent of Mexican residents in the capital went where the condence of the Rio Grande.

Most of the American side of the Rio Grande.

Most of the American salready have lift toops of the Mexican Federal garriation at the to-day for Sattillo, where, it is understood, General Joaquin Maas, Jr., millitary commander of the Northern Mexican states, has ordered all of the Most in the House to-day as "The Worth at Vera Cruz yesterday, was eulogized in the House to-day as "The Worth at Vera Cruz yesterday, was eulogized in the House to-day as "The Worth at Vera Cruz yesterday, was eulogized in the House to-day as "The Worth at Vera Cruz yesterday, was eulogized in the House to-day in the House to-day as "The Worth at Vera Cruz yesterday, was eulogized in the House to-day of the Mexican states, has ordered all of the Northern Mexican states, has ordered all of the Northern Mexican states, has ordered all of the Northern Mexican states, has ordered all of the Most in the House to-day of the Sattling, who unsuccessfully tried to hold the town.

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ing the average American citizen who is at the front, is not a misplaced confidence," said Representative Hobson.

intimate friends, all knowledge of strained relations between Mexico and the United States. The general public was even more in the dark, since the newspapers published columns of glowing accounts of vitories by the Federal armies in the north.

Reports of Federal successes, said to have occurred at places far beyond the limits of the telegraph lines, were printed broadcast. One dispatch announced with great display that General Villa had been captured.

The railroads ceased some time.

EXPRESS PROFOUND SORROW AT DEATHS

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Tampico, Mex., April 22.—Quiet prevailed here during the day. Americans ing to the American consulate in search of information regarding the situation Vera Cruz and whether war had actually been declared. A rumor that Mr. O'Snaughnessy had been given his Mr. O'Snaughnessy passports caused a great deal of ex-Landing of marines and siezure of

this port is looked for momentarily, although the Des Moines, Delphin and golace are the only warships in the

Will Use Hydro-Aeroplanes.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, April 22.—The Birming-ham, the fastest scout cruiser of the with two aboard, has arrived at Vera Cruz. The hydro-aeroplanes will be available to

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thar ain't nothin' t' anerlyze. I allus carry a tin o' VELVET in my hip pocket an' when I see trouble comin'-I draw first. Velvet goe VELVET, the Smoothest Smoking Tobacco. smoothes the day's cares. Full weight 2 oz. tins, 10c.

E F you'll jest stop t' anerlyze most troubles you'll find you can't—